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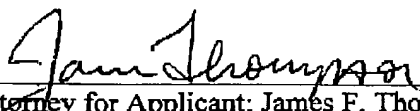
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In re application of: **Lee Kock Huat et al.**Entitled: **STRESS-FREE LEAD FRAME**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 27, 2003,
please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.